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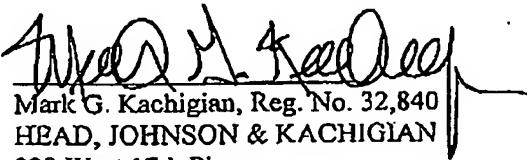
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Dear Sir:

On April 11, 2006 Applicant filed the above-identified patent application with the USPTO. Unfortunately, as of today's date, Applicant has not received any action from the United States Patent Office. Applicant respectfully requests that this application be put in line for examination as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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